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INDICATIONS: For Gulf States, Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, warmer east to south winds, partly cloudy weather and slowly falling barometer.

GOVERNOR ELEC. FOSTER is not a candidate for the Senate.

OUR dispatches report still another tribe of Indians on the war path.

WHAT would you say if Corvill should have 50,000 majority in New York?

WHO is Dr. Sloan, the East Tennesseean who presided over the savages on the 23d?

SLOANE—SLOANE—wasn't there a fellow in the Legislature once whose name was Sloan?

THE Khedive of Egypt has authorized the renewal of Cleopatra's Needle. It was erected 1500 years before Christ.

ROBINSON'S friends in New York are now trying to explain that he has no connection with Tilden. Too late.

Now that the epidemic is declared ended at Memphis, it would be a good time to raise the quarantine at Chattanooga.

THE total vote in Ohio was 663,667. Foster's majority, 17,129. The Republican gain was 62,141 over the vote of last year.

EX-PARSON HEARNE proposes to beat Atkins for Congress on the Republican ticket. The ex-parson is a coming man.

SECRETARY SHERMAN will make three speeches in New York this week commencing at Cooper Institute tomorrow night.

How to repudiate without incurring the odium of repudiation is the question for the swallow-tail wing of the low-tax Democracy.

OUT of all East Tennessee but one man could be found with little enough self-respect to participate in the ceremonies of Savage, Wilson & Co.'s side show. Verily, that is a good showing.

ONE hundred years ago last Thursday the British backbone was broken at Yorktown, Va., by the surrender of Lord Cornwallis to the American forces. Only a little century and now we are the foremost nation of the earth.

SPRING—Congressman Springer—Congressman Springer, of Illinois, has discovered that money made Ohio Republican. Oh! Well, yes; since we think of it, it was money. Secretary Sherman's dollar which is worth one hundred cents in gold. It was money.

MANY inquiries have been made about Dr. Sloan. These are perfectly natural, when one remembers that he was Chairman of the Senate "blow-out." Any information as to who this modest and honest statesman is, who has been living in this section of the country unnoticed and unobserved, will be thankfully received.

IN our telegraphic columns will be found the cheering news that the epidemic at Memphis has been declared at an end. Yellow Jack, who has for so long been clapping in his deadly embrace that unhappy city, has succumbed to the crystal arrows of his rival, Jack Frost, and has fled, vanquished, back to his malarial home. The wandering inhabitants of the Bluff City who have been fleeing from their homes, refugees in strange places, will soon return, and the places where all was death and destruction a few weeks since, will once more resound to the hum of industry and the arts of civilized life. Families will once more gather around home hearths, and in a few months all signs of the dreaded visitation will be covered over. All, did we say? No, not all! The widows' weeds and the black garb of orphaned children will still remain, and a love for the heroes of the epidemic, which will live in the hearts of the grateful Memphians, will serve as monuments of its former presence.

It costs \$10,000 for the Sultan to live a year. He'd better die then.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Yellow Jack Almost Conquered at Last by Jack Frost.

The Epidemic Officially Declared Ended in Memphis.

Heavy Frost and Thin Coating of Ice Yesterday Morning.

Camps to be Broken up Monday. No More Funds Needed.

The First Steamer at the Wharf Since July 24th.

More Indians on the War Path, and Troops Asked For.

YELLOW FEVER.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 25.—Another heavy frost fell last night and a thin coating of ice was formed on pools of water in the suburbs. The thermometer placed by the Signal Service on the ground indicated 25° at 4 o'clock this morning.

The steamer Hard Cash, from St. Louis, arrived this morning at 9 o'clock, being the first boat to land at the wharf since July 24th.

The weather is clear and cool. The following telegram was sent this morning:

"Hon. A. S. Marks, Governor, Nashville:

"The epidemic has been declared ended this day. The camps will be broken up on Monday. I thank Your Excellency on behalf of the people of Memphis for the material assistance rendered and for the further aid promised if necessary. We have sufficient funds to carry us through and will not be compelled to draw on you for any."

(Signed) D. T. PORTER, "President."

Hon. John Johnston, Superintendent of Quarantine, has telegraphed to J. D. Plunket, President of the State Board of Health, at Nashville, as follows: "The continued favorable cold weather, in my opinion, renders the transfer of freight and passengers, inspectors, pickets and patrols no longer necessary, and, with your approval, they will be discontinued here and after today."

Two new cases of yellow fever reported this afternoon, S. S. Wright and Mary Swaley. The first named was attacked two days ago. Two additional deaths have occurred, Charles Walker, colored, and C. W. Norton, eight miles out Poplar street boulevard.

The donations to the Howards aggregate \$254.

All railroads running into Memphis will resume regular business Sunday.

Inspectors on trains, and pickets doing guard duty on the river front and in the suburbs will be disbanded tomorrow.

Several passengers from Cincinnati and Louisville arrived this afternoon per Louisville Railroad.

A general return of absentees is expected by Monday.

The present spell of cold weather is being taken advantage of by the sanitary force.

The local Board of Health is having all dwellings thoroughly ventilated.

The indications to night are favorable for a light freeze, as the thermometer at 5 p. m. had fallen to 53°.

NOON.—One case of yellow fever was reported this morning—Alfred Beventz. Two deaths have occurred—Wm. Johnson (colored), at Buntyn Station, and Joseph Seay, at City Hospital.

The following is the official announcement of the Board of Health declaring the epidemic ended: "Owing to a fall in temperature within the past three days, and there having been two good frosts, with prospects of a continuation of the cool weather, the Board of Health hereby declares the epidemic of 1879 at an end, and announces there is but little danger to be apprehended from yellow fever by absentees or other persons coming into the city, provided, the instructions published September 28th have been complied with in regard to ventilation of houses, bedding, clothing, etc. It takes this occasion to advise people, on their return, to avoid infected places. There are a few cases of yellow fever yet in cases, and a few cases may yet develop, but by ordinary prudence there is no danger of the disease now spreading from that source."

By order of the Board of Health. J. CHANDLER, M. D., Secretary.

ALABAMA.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—A special from Courtland, Ala., says: "Last May, Jno. T. Hawkins shot and killed S. F. Drake. To-day (Friday) J. H. Drake, brother of the deceased, met Hawkins and commenced firing upon him. Closing with Hawkins, Drake threw him to the ground. The City Marshal ran up and attempted to pull off Drake, who was beating Hawkins over the head with his pistol. Throwing the Marshal off, Drake placed the pistol to Hawkins' head and fired, again blowing out his brains. The Grand Jury had failed to find an indictment against Hawkins, and this so incensed Drake that he fired on Hawkins at sight. Drake escaped."

LOUISIANA.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 24.—About one thousand feet of the Bay St. Louis bridge, on the New Orleans and Mobile Railroad, was burned last night.

Further particulars show that the bridge caught fire at the draw and burned toward the town of Bay St. Louis. One thousand feet of the bridge was burned over, but it is only partially destroyed. Superintendent Robinson says the bridge will be repaired in a few days. In the meanwhile, there will be no interruption to travel, the mails and passengers being transferred by steamer.

THE INDIANS.

CHEYENNE, Oct. 25.—The dispatch of Thursday night regarding the Uintah Utes being on the war-path is confirmed. Gov. Hoyt has telegraphed to Washington for military assistance.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—In the Schaefer-Slosson billiard contest last night, Slosson made 1,000 points, Schaefer, 1,086. Schaefer's highest run, 427; Slosson's, 226.

MINOR DISPATCHES.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Oct. 25.—The stove moulders resumed work yesterday at the price they were receiving when the strike was instituted.

NORWICH, CONN., Oct. 24.—Two inches of snow fell here last night, and the weather is cold.

ST. THOMAS, ONT., Oct. 24.—Six inches of snow fell last night. It is still snowing.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25.—A body found on the shore of Lake Michigan, near Miller's Station, on yesterday, is identified from the description given by the despatches by Wm. E. Barr, as the remains of his brother, George Barr, who ascended in the balloon "Pathfinder" with Prof. Wise.

FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—A dispatch from Ali Kheyl says that two Afghan troops and a Sepoy of one of Herat's regiments were hanged for complicity in the massacre of the British Embassy.

Elliott says that if he beats Boyd he will accept Hanlon's terms and row him on Toronto Bay.

MANCHESTER, Oct. 25.—At a Liberal demonstration yesterday, the Marquis of Hartington sharply attacked Lord Salisbury's recent speech. He said the policy indicated in Salisbury's circular had not been carried out, and Russia had been confirmed in all conquests she made by the treaty of San Stefano. Discussing the reforms in Turkey, he characterized Salisbury's defense and of the assertion that England had frequently spent blood and treasure in the defence of bad governments, as an immoral policy. He declared the Government's Afghan policy would end in annexation.

Good Cultivation Pays.

A good soil rarely fails, even in a poor season, of returning a paying income for the labor expended upon it in the cultivation of any crop adapted to it. The idea that the number of acres in crops indicates the farmer's income must be abandoned, and the numbers of bushels per acre must be looked for instead. There is certainly less profit in plowing fifty acres, to raise 1,000 bushels of grain, than in plowing but twenty-five to grow the same amount, and trusting to good seasons for fair crops will not be thought of by the improved farmer. A rich, well cultivated soil, will usually make fair returns in what we call bad or unfavorable seasons. What the farmer on a poor soil would call a good season seldom comes—Vally Farmer.

Baron Hirsch, of Paris, who is compelled to starve on a pittance of \$20,000,000, recently won the first prize of \$100,000 in a Vienna lottery.

SUPREME COURT OPINIONS.

[Reported for the Chronicle, by L. Tillman, Jr.]

1. *Defense*.—Waived.—The defense that in order to sustain a judgment creditor's bill, under Code, § 4252, et seq., it is necessary to show the return of an execution on the judgment, unsatisfied in whole or in part, if it be a defense at all, is to the jurisdiction, and waived by answer.

2. *Contracts tested by law of State where made*.—Contracts, in the form of negotiable promissory notes, executed in the State of Georgia, must be tested as to their validity by the law of Georgia, and a decision of the highest court of that State on exactly similar contracts, will, ordinarily, be followed by courts of this State.

3. *Public agents—Powers limited by statute*.—The powers of public agents being defined by statute, which is notice to all the world, are limited, and no pretension of authority or customary action can amplify that authority beyond the statutory limitation.

4. *Same—Contracts void—When*.—The Superintendent of a certain railroad, the property of the State of Georgia, was authorized by statute to make contracts necessary for the general working and business of the road not exceeding a prescribed sum, and over that amount subject to the approval of the Governor in writing—Held. That notes executed by the Superintendent, each calling for an amount over that prescribed without the approval of the Governor in writing, were void, even in the hands of innocent purchasers for value in due course of trade, and although similar notes had been executed and paid by the Superintendent.

5. *Practice—Parties*.—1. The Supreme Court invariably refuses to make a decree when material parties are not before it.

2. *Norton vs. Memphis, Paducah and Northern Railroad Company*.—Same.—2. A bill by one of a number of contracting parties, to do a certain thing, cannot be maintained to cancel the agreement, though it may to enforce it.

3. *Costs—Sureties of Successful Party*.—1. The sureties of the successful party in a suit can not be held liable for costs under provisions of the Code, see § 3204.

2. *Notice of Motion*.—Even previous to the act of 1879 (chap. 113), notice to the successful party of motion is necessary if it be made after six months after the right to the motion accrues.

3. *County Court—Guardian—Jurisdiction*.—1. The County Court has no power to make a guardian (of a lunatic or infant) an allowance in excess of the income of the ward's estate.

2. *Chancery Court—Same—Same*.—The Chancery Court alone has such jurisdiction, but it will not be exercised except in a plain case, and it is doubted whether it will be exercised at all after the corpus has been treasured up.

3. *Trout vs. Baldwin et al.*

4. *Receiver—Insolvent estate—Superior debts*.—An order of a Chancellor made in the progress of a cause, involving the administration of an insolvent estate, appointing a Receiver to take the assets out of the Executor's hands, upon it being made to appear to the Chancellor that the assets are in danger of being lost or wasted, is within the power of the Chancellor, and can not be superseded by this Court under section § 333 of the Code.

5. *Roberson, Ex'r, vs. Roberson et al.*

6. *Vendors Lien—Ferryboat—Not fixture*.—A ferryboat with chain and buoys, &c., is not a fixture of the realty, although the chain by which it is run is fastened to the boat and an island in the river, and hence, a registered lien for purchase money is lost as to such property by their destruction, and does not extend to a new boat and apparels substituted in place of the one destroyed and worn out.

7. *Married women—Title bond—Not void*.—A title bond, or contract of sale of land, by a married woman, is not absolutely void, but merely voidable; and hence, there is no ground to rescind such a contract, upon bill by vendee, if the husband and wife insist upon the validity of the contract and offer to perform it by making the title as agreed.

8. *Davis vs. McMillan et al.*

9. *Bankruptcy—Assignee may sue in State Court*.—An assignee in bankruptcy may sue in the State Courts to recover the assets of the bankrupt, and such suit in no way affects or interferes with the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts.

10. *Barton, assignee, vs. Geiler*.

11. *Practice—Parties*.—Upon a bill to enforce an attorney's lien upon land, the administrator of the debtor is not a necessary party.

12. *McKamey vs. Key*.

13. *Limitation—State demand*.—A bill for an account and settlement of a partnership, brought by the executor of one of the partners against the heirs and personal representatives of the other, can not be maintained after the lapse of twenty years—especially where the original parties have died, and when it is manifest from the nature of the case, that all the facts necessary to a correct settlement can not be known.

14. *McEwen, ex'r, vs. Gillespie*.

15. *Corporation—Private—Construction of statute*.—Article 4th of chapter 2nd of the Code, entitled, "General provisions in relation to private corporations," can only be fairly construed as intended to govern the conduct of the corporation and its officers, in their management of the business under their control—applies solely to corporate action—and has no reference whatever to the rights or conduct of

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Same—Stock—Transfer.—In the absence of legislative regulation as to the mode of transferring title to stock in a corporation, and any provision therefore in the charter, the question must be solved on general principles of law, based in sound reason and public policy. In this State, the owner of stock in such corporation may pass the title thereto, by assignment of the certificate without transfer upon the books of the company, or any notice to the company; and this, whether the assignment be absolute, or merely as a pledge, or as collateral security, and such transfer will be good and valid, not only against the owner, but all the world.

Corrick and others vs. Richards. (Judges McFarland and Cooper dissent.)

State vs. Butler. A State has no power to tax or require a license of a patentee or his assignee for selling the patent right or the patent.

State vs. Butler.

Homestead not effected by voluntary conveyance.—The homestead of the wife is not forfeited by her acceptance of a voluntary conveyance to her from her husband, where she is guilty of no actual fraud, as to the judgment creditors of the husband.

Joseph Russ vs. R. M. Hook.

How to Water Horses.

In cold weather give one painful at a time three times a day. This is enough unless you are working them regularly; then give them a little more but not to exceed four painful a day. In warm weather when they are brought in, first sponge out the mouth and nostrils well with cold water! After a few spongings they will wait for it to be done. Then give them not to exceed a painful apiece, and after feeding give one more painful before you commence working. Don't let them go without long enough to make them want more than this. If allowed, a thirsty horse, when warm, will drink too much. A common twelve-quart pail is the size referred to above.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24. Money, active, 7. Exchange, 450. Government bond, new 5's, 103; four per cents, 105; four and a half per cents, 102. States, active.

Flour—Southern, steady; common to fair extra, \$5.90-6.75; good to choice, \$6.50-6.00. Wheat, 12c better, very fairish, irregular and unsettled; ungraded winter red, \$1.41-45; No. 3 do, \$1.32; No. 2 do, \$1.45-49. Corn, lower and closing steady, 60a-62c. Pork, higher and fairly active, closing weak, \$10.70-10.75; middles, very firm; long clear, 6c; short clear, 5 1/2c. Lard, opened higher and closed weak, with the advance partly lost; prime steam, \$8.95-9.00. Whisky, firmer, \$1.15.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Oct. 24.—Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat steady; red, amber, and white, \$1.27. Corn firmer; white, 52; mixed, 50. Oats steady; white, 39; mixed, 35. Lard firm; choice leaf, 54c; S. E. 54c. Bulk meats scarce and stronger; no shoulders or clear sides here; clear ribs, 6c. Bacon stronger; shoulders, 4 1/2c; clear ribs, 8c; clear sides, 8c; sugar-cured hams, 9a10c. Whisky firm, \$1.08.

Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tenn.

No. 520.

Jos. E. Hall, Wm. B. Hall and others vs. Adaline Gibson and others.

IT APPEARING FROM THE BILL WHICH is sworn to that the defendants, Adaline Gibson, James Hall, Jos. E. Hall, Wm. B. Hall, A. J. Hall and J. H. McClain, are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, it is ordered that the defendants above named, appear before the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee, on the 1st Monday in December next, 1879, and make defense to the bill filed in this cause, or the same will be taken for confessed. This notice will be published in the Knoxville White and Chronicle for four consecutive weeks. A true copy: Attest: Oct. 24, 1879. M. L. PATTERSON, C. & M.

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